

Title:	Brock University Fonds, 1962-1990 (non-inclusive)		
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Summary of Contents:	<p>Correspondence, 1962-1990 (non-inclusive)</p> <p>1.1 Correspondence regarding the Site Committee and a memorandum for Mr. Panet-Raymond regarding zone maps, 1962</p> <p>1.2 Contains letters on the appointment of Dr. S.H. Deeks as vice-president of Brock University. There is also a letter regarding the use of the Frosenaire Plant as a temporary accommodation for Brock University, 1963</p> <p>1.3 Minutes of a meeting of Brock Officials with Municipal Representatives is included. There is discussion of an auditorium and concert hall. The Provincial Government allocated \$1,6000,000 to Brock University. Staff appointments were made: Michael Sands Hornyansky was appointed as professor of English and Chairman of the English Department, Mrs. Elizabeth M. Lockett was hired to be a Senior Librarian (cataloguing and Special Collections), Diana Kertland was appointed as Junior Librarian and Ernest E. Goldman was chosen to be a Special Lecturer in Mathematics and Acting Registrar, 1964</p> <p>1.4 Includes information on the evolution of the business school, 1987-1988</p> <p>1.5 This file includes information on the 25th anniversary of Brock University. Most of the correspondence deals with a series of pay-as-you-go luncheons designed so that President Terry White could meet and talk to the business communities around Niagara. Lists are included, these include: Ex-chairs and Chancellors, Board of Trustees, corporations, canvassers, foundations, Honourary Graduates and past board members. Also included is a 1989/'90 Year One Student Synopsis and a media relations policy, 1989-1990</p> <p>1.6 A seminar is sponsored by the Burgoyne Centre for Entrepreneurship. The Niagara Escarpment is named a biosphere reserve by the UNESCO Man and the Biosphere Programme. The Brock Business School holds a Capital Campaign. A fact sheet on the Burgoyne Centre for Entrepreneurship at Brock University is included, 1990</p> <p>Athletic Study Committee/ Athletic Facilities Committee, 1965-1969, 1971-1975</p>		

	<p>1.7 Includes minutes of the committee as well as briefs on the Department of Athletics and Recreation and a <i>Brock University Department of Physical Education and Recreation Program Proposal</i>, 1965-1969, 1971-1974</p> <p>Press Releases, Newspaper Articles, Speeches and Publications, 1962-1990 (non-inclusive)</p> <p>1.8 Proposed university to be called Brock University, 1962</p> <p>1.9 Biography of Stanley H. Deeks, vice-president of Brock University. The site for Brock University is selected. Grants totaling \$393, 000 will be paid by the Ontario Government toward the development and establishment of Brock University. An address by Arthur A. Schmon, Chairman of the Founders' Committee of Brock University is included. The Honourable John Robarts speaks at the launching of Brock University. A paper entitled <i>Curriculum Reform in a Revolutionary Age</i> is also in this file. A biography of James A. Gibson, president of Brock University is also included along with information on the Canada Scholarship Program. Clippings regarding the architects' plans for Brock University are also within this file, 3 b&w photos are included, 1963</p> <p>1.10 Included is <i>The Development of Brock University</i>, an address by Edward E. Mitchelson to the Lincoln County Junior Farmers, a paper entitled <i>The Approaching Crisis in Student Financing</i> and a paper entitled <i>Establishing a University in a Revolutionary Age</i>. A biography on Arthur A. Schmon is also included. S.H. Deeks presented a paper entitled <i>Engineers Whither?</i> Professor John Hart was appointed to be a professor of Physics and Director of Science Studies. Tribute was paid to Arthur A. Schmon after his death. The Founders' Committee of Brock University came under the chairmanship of D.G. Willmot and E.J. Barbeau was elected as vice-chairman. S.H. Deeks presented a paper entitled <i>Triumph and Tragedy</i> to the Canadian Cancer Society. Mr. Weller was interviewed about Brock's architectural style. It was noted that Brock will have no particular architectural style, 1964</p> <p>1.11 The St. Catharines Standard pledged \$500,000 towards Brock University's Centre for Entrepreneurship. There is a folder on the Burgoyne Centre for Entrepreneurship. Work is begun on the Taro School of Business and the Student Centre. Brock honours its donors with a stained glass window, 1989-1990</p> <p>1.12 Booklets and pamphlets including: <i>The Selection of the Site for Brock University</i>, <i>Tour of the Site of Brock University by the Prime Minister of Ontario and his Party</i>, <i>The Story of Brock to Date</i> (1964), <i>Site Plan for the Brock University Physical Education and Recreation Centre</i>, <i>Requirement Study for the Proposed Physical Education Centre</i>, <i>A Proposal for Physical Education and Recreation</i> and <i>A Proposal for a Joint Venture Between</i></p>
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	<p><i>Brock University and the Private Sector, 1964-1965 Brock University Yearbook, 1963-1967, 1987, n.d.</i></p> <p>Photographs, 1968-1983, n.d. (non-inclusive)</p> <p>1.13 Photographs of people include: Tony Biernacki, Bob Davis, George Louth, Les Korchuk, Alan Earp and Nancy Schuster. Included are photos of Graduation, canoeing, basketball, running, hockey, rugby and hang gliding, 3 b&w contact sheets, 23 b&w photos, 2 col. photos, 102 negatives, 1968, 1971, 1983, n.d.</p>
Physical Description / Condition:	17 cm. (1/2box) containing correspondence, clippings, promotional material, minutes and photographs.
Administrative/ Biographical Sketch	<p>Mrs. Florence Egerter heard a statement in 1957 announcing grants from the Canada Council. Provision was to be made for 4 universities, one at Lakehead, one at Windsor and 2 at other locations. She prepared a resolution that she presented to the Allanburg Women's Institute for the establishment of a university in the Niagara area.</p> <p>In the autumn of 1962, the Brock Founders' Committee was established. In 1963, Arthur Schmon who was the chair of the Founders' Committee offered the position of University President to James A. Gibson. Subsequent presidents were: Alan Earp, Terry White, David Atkinson and Jack Lightstone. Classes began in September of 1964 with 127 students. They were held at the St. Paul United Church in St. Catharines. The University had been scheduled to open in a renovated refrigeration plant but an electricians' strike delayed the renovation of the building. The Glenridge Campus was officially opened in October of 1964. On September 19, 1966, the Brock Tower was ready for occupancy. Richard L. Hearn was appointed as the Inaugural Chancellor in 1967.</p> <p>The university was named after Major-General Sir Isaac Brock. Brock who lost his life in the Battle of Queenston Heights in 1812. He uttered Surgite! (Latin for "push on") as he died. This is used as the university's motto.</p>
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